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IMPEACHMENT OF CARON.

Mr. Edgar's Motion Brought Before the House by Strategy of the Liberals.

All Other Notices on the Paper Allowed to Stand or Drop for the Time Being.

The Government Refuses to Allow the Charges to Go Before the Committee.

OTTAWA, April 6.—In the House today Mr. Edgar asked to be allowed to move his motion in regard to the impeachment of Sir Adolphe Caron. Sir John Thompson refused until it was reached on the order-paper in the usual way. Mr. Edgar claimed it was a matter of privilege, and therefore read the motion as a statement. After he had read the statement the Speaker refused to allow the motion as one of privilege. The Opposition then allowed all their notices on the order paper to stand or drop, so that in the course of half an hour Mr. Edgar's motion was reached. To do this it was necessary to drop the motion regarding Judge Elliott. It will however be put on again. This will necessitate the loss of two days. In putting his motion Mr. Edgar made no comment further than moving that the question be referred to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

Yesterday the House of Commons, at the instance of Minister Tupper, voted $1000 to defray the expenses of the fisheries commission in British Columbia.

E. Crow Baker has been appointed to the seat on the Victoria and Esquimalt pilotage board left vacant by the death of Roderick Finlayson. Mr. Gordon says there is no prospect of the Nanaimo pilotage authorities co-operating with Victoria in the maintenance of pilotage vessels in the Straits of Fuca.

The Supreme Court yesterday gave judgment against Mr. German, of Welland, who was disqualified by the election court. This judgment is of the nature predicted in these dispatches on Monday. Mr. German is consequently deprived of all electoral rights and privileges for seven years.

On the vote for the Esquimalt dock, additional expenses, Hon. Mr. Ouimet explained that the appropriation was necessary owing to the great demand for the dock, compelling an engineer to be on duty all night. The revenue from the dock last year was $29.000. He expects it to be $35,000 this year.

Sir John Thompson refused to permit the passage of Mr. Edgar's motion. Mr. Laurier made a strong reply, showing that the Leader of the Government in the Commons took one attitude on the stump and another in Parliament. Tupper followed and Mills replied.

The Locomotive Exploded.

LONG ISLAND CITY, L.I., April 6.—A locomotive exploded with terrific force in the yards of the Long Island Railway here at 9:30 this morning. Eight men working near were severely injured, some fatally. The engineer and firemen are among the latter. The locomotive was completely wrecked.

The accident happened while the train was moving out of the station here towards Blissville. It was known as a working train, and consisted of a locomotive and a number of flat cars. There were six men seated on the car directly beneath the locomotive. They received no warning of the explosion and were blown in all directions. The names of the injured, so far as ascertained, are: Engineer Walker, badly scalded about forehead and legs, will probably die; Joseph Lush, terribly scalded and leg broken; John Luby, badly scalded and bruised; James Kline, fearfully scalded and several limbs broken; fireman Theodore Velore, badly burned and scalded. These men are supposed to be fatally injured. There are four more injured who are unconscious. A number of surgeons from St. Catherine's hospital are attending the unfortunate men. No one seems to know just how the accident happened. Neither the engineer nor the firemen is able to make a statement. Brakeman Lush was thrown into the coal bin, where he was burned and scalded in a shocking manner. The finger was blown off the left hand, the flesh hung in shreds from the body and the skin on his arms and legs was peeled off. Death is only a question of a few hours. Engineer Walker, the doctors say, will not recover. All the injured have been removed to St. John's hospital. Railroad officials say that they can only account for the accident by the water being low in the boiler. Brakeman Lush died shortly after 11 o'clock. Velore, the fireman, can live but a few hours. He is unmarried and lived in Brooklyn.

A Clergyman's Death.

BALTIMORE, Md., April 6.—Private advices from Charleston received today state the Rev. J. J. G. Webster, presiding elder of Eastern Baltimore district of the Methodist Episcopal church, was found dead in that place this morning. He disappeared from home on Monday and no trace of him could be found until his dead body was discovered this morning. Webster was married to Miss Birdie Skinner, a member of his church. People, two weeks ago, supposed his disappearance and death were due to a return of the nervous trouble which he contracted just before his marriage. He was 50 year old, and his bride was 24.

The Hawaiian Revolution.

CHICAGO, April 6.—Private letters from Honolulu predict a revolution and say an attempt will soon be made by a large body of natives, headed by the halfbreed Robert Wilcox, to overthrow the present Government and either establish a republic or secure annexation to the United States. The day before the steamer sailed the authorities became alarmed and began to barricade the palace. The revolution which Wilcox headed four years ago proved a fiasco because of inefficient preparations and the fact that the white rifle corps under Col. Ford protected Kalakaua.

MRS. DRAYTON.

The Central Figure of a Recent American Society Scandal.

The somewhat ludicrous situation caused by the quarrel between James Coleman Drayton and Hallett Alsop Borrowe has not been cleared up. Mrs. Drayton, whose friendship with Barrowe was the origin of the difficulty, is the third daughter of Mr. William Astor, and married Drayton ten years ago. Though the mother of several

children, Mrs. Drayton appears to have had plenty of time to spare for "society," the couple spending much of their time in Paris and London. The statement is made that in February of this year the husband vainly endeavored to bring about a duel with his wife's friend Borrowe. The meeting was prevented, it is reported, by the action of Mr. Borrowe's seconds, confirmed by the opinion of a jury of honor. Reasons of the prevention are given which are not flattering to Mr. Drayton.

China Will Kick.

WASHINGTON, April 6.—Representative Hitt, of Illinois, who was chairman of the Foreign Affairs committee of the last Congress, and who is now a member of the present committee, says that the Chinese minister is really thinking of packing up his effects and departing for China. Hitt says he has no doubt that the minister will leave if Geary's bill passes the Senate, and that it is probable he will go regardless of the Senate's action. Senator Felton thinks the Senate will take up the bill within a very few days and that it will pass that body.

"Never Crossed a River Till He Came to It."

SAN FRANCISCO, April 6.—An Omaha telegram to the effect that Jay Gould intends making J. S. Leeds, now manager of the Traffic Association, the traffic manager of the Union Pacific is not confirmed by Mr. Leeds, who claims to have received the first intimation of Gould's intention through newspapers. To a query whether he, should the rumor prove true, would sever his present relations with the Traffic Association, he answered he never crossed a river until he came to it.

Burned to Death.

FORT MADISON, Iowa, April 6.—At 11 o'clock last night the two story frame building of S. V. Kitchen was discovered on fire and with the dwelling of John Knuck was entirely consumed. S. V. Kitchen, his wife, three children, his wife's sister, Miss Sidney Day and August Knemeier, a boarder, were burned to death. Sam Kitchen and Henry Kemeier badly burned.

Arrested in San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 6.—Thomas Paquin was arrested to-day on a letter from the Commissioner of Police of Ottawa. Paquin was deputy postmaster in Hull, Quebec. He was suspected of tampering with the mails, so a decoy letter containing $7 was sent. He fell into the trap and was arrested, but when released on bonds fled to this city.

A Respectable Cheat.

CHICAGO, April 6.—The Illinois Club is agitated over a gambling scandal in which two prominent Chicagoans are involved. A member of the club introduced a friend who, it is said, took out over $20,000 as the result of a week's high playing. His constant high winning excited suspicion, and a watch was kept which resulted in his detection at cheating.

San Salvador is Quiet.

NEW YORK, April 6.—A San Salvador special to the Herald says: The widow of millionaire Riano and the wife of General Rinz Pastos, a military commander of the department, died today. San Salvador is quiet and all fears of a war with Guatamala have subsided.

Will Not Marry a Count.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, April 6.—Miss Bettie Fleischman, daughter of the millionaire yeast manufacturer and distiller, Charles Fleischman, of this city, has broken her engagement with Count Logothetti, because he refuses to become an American citizen.

The American Minister to France.

CHICAGO, April 6.—A dispatch from Washington is authority for the statement that President Harrison has offered the position of minister to France, made vacant by the resignation of Whitelaw Reid, to Joseph M. Edwell, editor of the Chicago Tribune.

The Atchison System.

BOSTON, April 6.—The statement for March for the total Atchison system including the St. Louis and San Francisco and Atlantic and Pacific road, shows gross earnings $3,254,493; increase, $78,519.

HUNTING THE ANARCHISTS.

Spanish Police Actively Searching for the Authors of Dynamite Outrages.

Britain and France Renew the Modus Vivendi Relating to Newfoundland.

Murderer Deeming Laughs at the Evidence Given Against Him at the Inquest.

MADRID, April 6.—Three more anarchists have been arrested. The total number of the prisoners is now thirteen. The excitement caused by the attempt yesterday to blow up the building in which the Cortes meets does not abate. On the contrary, as the particulars of the attempted outrage are learned the public becomes more indignant and many threats are indulged in. It is thought here that the anarchists have been allowed too much latitude in spreading the tenets of their faith and belief, and henceforth the Government should hold them as wild beasts to be destroyed on sight.

Dispatches from Valencia and Malaga announce that the anarchists are threatening a reign of terror in both cities. In Valencia yesterday a bomb was exploded near the residence of the Captain-General. No damage was done, but the police and people are apprehensive that this is the first of a series of explosions. The Archbishop and two members of the Supreme Court of Justice have been warned that they are about to be punished for their indifference to the sufferings of the poor. The police are said to have ascertained als othat the great National Museum and the University are in danger, and they have placed guards over both.

PARIS, April 6.—The police office at Angers, a manufacturing town 200 miles from Paris, was seriously damaged by dynamite early this morning. Several policemen were injured, two seriously. Policemen have been sent from Paris to hunt the anarchists who were suspected.

Chinese Exclusion.

LONDON, April 5.—The Standard this morning says concerning the passage of the Chinese exclusion bill in the House of Representatives, "China may have something to say against so flagrant a breach of the treaty. She may even retaliate. While Congress has displayed its animosity toward the Chinese, it will never entirely check their entrance to the country. A knowledge of the Chinese language is not likely to become a common accomplishment of American officials, and to distinguish between Ah Sin and Ah Sam passes the power of a Caucasian."

Deaths in England.

LONDON, April 5.—Rev. John Collingwood Bruce, antiquarian and historian, died to-day. He was born at Newcastle in 1805, and was educated at the University of Glasgow. He is the author of "A Handbook of English History" and other works.

Lord Arthur Edward Russell died today. He was born in 1825, and was a brother of the late Duke of Bedford. He was M.P. for Tavistock from 1857 to 1885, and was private secretary to Lord John Russell from 1849 to 1854.

Deeming Laughs at the Evidence.

MELBOURNE, April 6.—The inquest upon the body of Mrs. Deeming, formerly Miss Mather, for whose murder Deeming is in custody, began to-day. Deeming sat in full view of the audience and seemed to enjoy the opportunity to give people a chance to see him. The evidence went to show his connection with the murder. Deeming laughed loudly at different parts of the testimony.

Emigration from Britain.

LONDON, April 5.—The statistics of emigration from the United States for March show that 6808 English, 1163 Scotch and 3473 Irish emigrants sailed for the United States and 2117 English, 260 Scotch and 67 Irish for Canada. The emigration to Australia shows an increase of 50 per cent. as compared with last year, while to the United States and Canada it is falling off.

The English Coal Strike.

LONDON, April 5.—The last of the coal strikers are beginning to weaken. The Staleybridge miners to-day offered to resume work, and give £50 to charity, in case the employers would take back all the men. The offer was refused by the employers.

The Ship Falls of Garry.

LONDON, April 6.—The British ship Falls of Garry at Plymouth has been patched and pumped out. To temporarily repair her with wood and cement will take a week. The estimated damage is £400.

January and February.

LONDON, April 6.—Sir Edward Watkins, the "railway king," married today Mrs. Ingram, widow of the founder of the Illustrated London News. Watkins is 73 and Mrs. Ingram 82 years old.

Six Were Drowned.

ZURICH, April 5.—The small pleasure steamboat, Delphine, formerly owned by the Empress Eugenie, capsized with an excursion party on Lake Griffin, in Switzerland. Six persons were drowned.

Newfoundland's Modus Vivendi.

LONDON, April 6.—The London and French governments have renewed the modus vivendi pending the settlement of the dispute over the Newfoundland fisheries.

Bad Leak.

LONDON, April 6.—The British ship Seraglands, at Limerick from Oregon, is leaking.

Governor of the Bank of England.

LONDON, April 6.—David Powell, deputy governor of the Bank of England, was to-day elected governor in the place of the Right Hon. Wm. Lidderdale.

The City and Suburban.

LONDON, April 6.—City and suburban handicap was won to-day at Epsom by Buccaneer, first; Trapezoid, second; Catherina, third.

VANCOUVER NEWS.

The Post Office Strike is Over—The Empress of India Sails To-Day.

VANCOUVER, April 6.—The annual meeting of the gun club was held last night when the officers were elected. Geo. Black offered a $100 trophy provided the four clubs would enter for a match at Hastings.

The post office strike is over. A compromise has been effected and all are back at work.

The Empress of India sails to-day with about 60 saloon passengers, 76 Chinese, and 1600 bales of cotton, 750 tons of flour, and general cargo.

TACOMA GOES REPUBLICAN.

Yesterday's Election Orderly, But Intensely Interesting.

Special to the TIMES.]

TACOMA, April 6.—Yesterday's municipal election was orderly, yet intensely exciting. The vote polled was the largest ever known in the history of the city, and a large sum of money changed hands upon the result. Both parties spent enormous sums to carry the day. The result was close as seen by the majorities which are exceedingly small compared with a total vote of over 3000. Following are the majorities: Huson, mayor, Republican 155; Boggs, treasurer, Republican 36; Slaughter, controller, Democrat 136; Armstrong, city physician, Republican 129. Republicans will hold a ratification jubilee to-night.

NANAIMO NEWS.

Presentation to a Pioneer—Breweries Combine—A Handsome Edifice.

NANAIMO, April 6.—The plans for the new Presbyterian church were received by the building committee yesterday. Their equal has never been seen in this city and it will take a clever mechanic to follow out the elaborate details called for in these plans. The artist, Mr. W. H. Hayes of Minnesota, has displayed a wonderful talent in designing which will give to the church when completed, a beautiful appearance. This brings the total up to 287 churches designed by this architect and the cost of the plans is said to be a comparative trifle. Tenders are being called for and it is not yet decided whether the new edifice will be built of stone or brick.

PRESENTATION.

At the regular meeting of the Hospital Board last evening Mr. A. Maver, the oldest pioneer in the city and who has been connected with the Hospital Board since that institution has been erected, was presented with a handsome gold headed cane as a token of the appreciation of his lengthy and valuable services. In consequence of the sudden departure of Mr. Mayer to California the donors were unable to get an inscription written on the head in so short a time, but the recipient will value the cane none the less. Many of his friends were at the depot this morning to wish him God speed.

BREWERS AMALGAMATE.

The Nanaimo and Union breweries in this city have been amalgamated and the price of the former is said to have been about $40,000 in stocks. It is now presumed the breweries will furnish the entire beer supply to the city and a trade for lager beer will be secured in other cities in the province. The amalgamation has caused general satisfaction.

Capt. Hatfield Killed.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 6.—Raftsmen from the head of the Big Sandy river have brought the news that Capt. Hatfield was killed a few evenings ago in a row over a game of poker in his house among outlaws who solemnly vowed perpetual friendship. In the mountains of Logan County, West Virginia, near the secluded retreat of the notorious "Bad Anse" Hatfield, was the house of Capt. Hatfield, whose record for murders in the Hatfield-McCoy feud stands second only to that of his brother "Anse." A few days ago one of the Hatfield brothers, accompanied by a friend named Bayson, called on Capt. Hatfield at his house for the purpose of enjoying a social evening with a game of poker and jug of moonshine. Through the early part of the evening all went well, but as the night wore on the men became crazed with liquor. The good luck of their host led the visitors to accuse him of fraud. Pistols were drawn and shots freely exchanged. The captain fell shot twice through the heart. The others escaped unhurt. So great is the terror which the Hatfields have created among their associates that it is absolutely impossible to ascertain with certainty which one of the brothers aided in this last murder, but "Anse's" name is connected with it. No arrests have been made. Capt. Hatfield was regarded as the worst member of the Hatfield gang, though he had not perhaps killed as many people as his brother "Bad Anse."

Death of Another Noted Man.

WILMINGTON, Del., April 6.—Willard Saulsbury, aged 72, chancellor of the state of Delaware and ex-United States senator, died suddenly at Dover this morning of heart failure.

Is Miss Alice Field Sane?

NEW YORK, April 6.—A commission has been appointed at White Plains, N.Y., to enquire into the sanity of Miss Alice Field, daughter of Cyrus W. Field.

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THE PROVINCIAL LEGISLATURE.

The Fort Sheppard Railway Land Grant Bill is Reported to the House.

Committee Work on the Municipal Bills is Finally Brought to an End.

No Evening Session Held to Allow the Government Members to Meet in Caucus.

TUESDAY, April 5, 1892.

The Speaker took the chair at 2 o'clock.

QUESTION OF PRIVILEGE.

Hon. Mr. Davie rose to a question of privilege, and complained of two instances of misreporting in the Colonist.

FORT SHEPPARD RAILWAY.

The House then went into committee of the whole on the message of His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor on the bill to authorize the granting of certain land subsidy for and in aid of the Nelson and Fort Sheppard Railway, Mr. Martin in the chair.

Hon. Mr. Turner moved that the bill be reported to the House.

Hon. Mr. Beaven said he had not time to fully examine into the provisions of the bill, and hoped that the Finance Minister would explain them.

Hon. Mr. Turner replied that the bill merely proposed to make the ordinary land grant. The land would be granted in alternate blocks, which would have the effect of adding a certain value to land intervening owned by the Government. The railway would open up a mining country and assist in its development.

Hon. Mr. Beaven, while expressing himself in opposition to the principle of granting lands to railways, said he was pleased to notice the Government had adopted a feature for which he had contended for some time, viz: requiring a security from the company. He did not know whether the amount of the security, $25,000, was sufficient, but the principle was good.

The committee rose and reported the bill to the House, and the report was adopted.

On motion of the Finance Minister, the bill was read a second time, and placed on the orders for second reading at the next sitting of the House.

Mr. Horne moved, that a respectful address be presented to His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor in Council praying His Honor to take such steps as he may deem necessary to have that portion of False Creek lying to the east of Westminster avenue, transferred to the Province of British Columbia for the purpose of having said land conveyed to the corporation of the city of Vancouver.

Mr. Martin objected to the resolution. He did not think the City of Vancouver should be allowed to monopolize this land. The revenue realized from the sale of the property should go to the whole province.

Dr. Milne supported the resolution. From a sanitary standpoint it was necessary that Vancouver should get possession of the property. The cost of reclaiming the land and the settling of the foreshore rights would make it certain that Vancouver would not get the property for less than its value.

Hon. Mr. Robson, Mr. Brown and Mr. Cotton also spoke in favor of the resolution, which was finally carried.

FURTHER RETURNS WANTED.

Mr. Grant moved that an Order of the House be granted for a printed return of all papers and correspondence which have passed between Mr. J. Vantreight and the Hon. Provincial Secretary, or any officer of the Government, with reference to educational matters. Carried.

AFTER ANOTHER PAPER.

Hon. Mr. Robson rose to a question of privilege. The News-Advertiser of the 3rd inst., a fragment of which he held in his hand, reported the member for Westminster City as saying at a meeting in that city, that he knew the Bishop of New Westminster had been put off from time to time when he applied for the purchase of certain lands, the Government claiming that it was reserved, while at the same time the Government was selling lots in the same property by private sale to private parties. The honorable member was entirely mistaken if he made such a statement.

The Speaker said the Hon. member complaining must produce the paper.

Hon. Mr. Robson remarked that the paper was only a fragment at best.

Mr. Brown explained that he was slightly misreported by the paper. He did state that last year a committee to enquire into this matter had discovered that the Government had sold to a private party a lot in the vicinity of the property applied for by the Bishop of New Westminster, notwithstanding the Government said a reserve was placed upon the land.

NO REDISTRIBUTION.

Mr. Brown asked the Hon. the Premier—Is it the intention of the Government to introduce a Redistribution Bill during the present session of the Legislature. The Premier answered "No."

THE MUNICIPAL BILLS.

The adjourned committee on the Municipal Bills was resumed, Mr. McKenzie in the chair.

Hon. Mr. Beaven moved to amend sub-section *a* of section 83 by striking out the words: "But after the rebuilding or improvement of the formerly licensed premises has been completed, the license shall be issued in the name of the owner (if a suitable person), or of any suitable person satisfactory to the owner, such suitability to be established to the satisfaction of the license board."

The Attorney-General strongly opposed the amendment. The effect of it would be to multiply licenses.

Mr. Brown favored the amendment. If the bill became law as it stood at present it would practically create a vested interest in a license.

The statute saying it was not a vested right would make no difference.

After considerable discussion the amendment was defeated.

Hon. Mr. Beaven moved to strike out section 183 of the Municipal Act and insert in lieu thereof the following: "The Mayor or Reeve may temporarily grant permission for a transfer of a license for the sale of liquor by retail, either from one premises to another or from one person to another, but subject to ratification by the Board of Licensing Commissioners at its first sitting thereafter. If such permission is not so ratified and extended, it shall thereafter be null and void. The Mayor or Reeve is not hereby empowered to again temporarily grant permission for the transfer of a license the transfer of which has been absolutely refused by the Board of Licensing Commissioners."

The Attorney-General opposed the amendment on the ground that the clause was explicit enough as it stood.

Hon. Mr. Beaven said the clause had been a source of disagreement at the Licensing Board for years.

The clause carried by a vote of 7 to 5.

Mr. Beaven moved to strike out subsection a of section 189 of the bill.

Hon. Mr. Davie raised a point of order. No motion had been made to reconsider the section which had already been passed.

Mr. Beaven acknowledged that he was out of order. He understood, however, that the Attorney-General had abandoned the idea of making licenses vested rights. He would withdraw the amendment and move it on report.

The amendment was withdrawn.

Hon. Mr. Davie moved the following section: "Nothwithstanding anything in the 'Municipal Act, 1891,' or any amendments thereto, any applicant for a license to sell wine, spirits, beer or other fermented or intoxicating liquor in any hotel containing not less than thirty rooms, used for hotel purposes, shall not be required to obtain a petition or requisition signed by lot owners or householders or their wives, for the granting of such license, but application for the granting of such license shall be made direct to the Board of Licensing Commissioners not less than thirty days before the sitting of said Board, and the Board of Licensing Commissioners shall have power to grant such license for the term of one year, or to renew the same upon the expiration thereof, if, in the opinion of a majority of the Board then present, such grant or renewal is in the public interest." The Attorney General said he thought a great mistake was made in not making a distinction between mere drink shops and respectable hotels. He knew of several cases where men had spent large sums of money in erecting fine buildings and owing to the restrictions placed in the way of obtaining licenses they were unable to get a license. He thought this amendment would correct the evil.

Hon. Mr. Beaven said he was of the opinion that there ought to be distinct license for the hotels, but he did not think the Attorney-General's proposed amendment solved the problem. It would have the effect of doing away with the local option part of the act. The Attorney-General had almost spoilt the utility of the statute and he probably intended to wipe it out altogether.

Mr. Hunter opposed the motion. He could see no necessity for change. The hotels could do as much harm as saloons.

Mr. Brown did not approve of taking the power out of the hands of the people to say where a hotel license should be granted. He never knew of a license being refused where there was a necessity for a hotel.

Mr. Booth opposed the motion of the Attorney-General. If it were confined to the fire limits of cities it would meet with his approbation.

Dr. Milne also vigorously opposed the proposed amendment.

The amendment was put and carried.

Hon. Mr. Beaven moved to amend section 119 to make the word "drains" read "sewers," and also to provide for the laying of connecting pipes. The amendment carried.

Sections 132 and 159 were also slightly amended.

Mr. Sword moved to amend the Municipal Act to provide that when town sites were surveyed in municipalities there must be a sale of at least 20 lots to different purchasers before the property of the townsite can be exempt from the municipality taxation. The amendment carried.

Several other amendments were proposed, but it was decided to defer them until report.

On motion of Mr. Beaven the committee rose and reported the bill complete with amendments.

The report was adopted amid applause, and it was decided the bill should come up for report on Monday.

LAND GRANT BILL.

The House went into committee on the New Westminster City Land Grant Bill, Mr. Hunter in the chair.

The committee rose and reported the bill complete, and the report was adopted.

MINERAL BILL.

On motion of the Attorney-General the Mineral Bill was given its second reading.

SUPREME COURT BILL.

The House went into committee on the Supreme Court Bill, Mr. Semlin in the chair.

Mr. Kitchen objected that the proposed boundaries of the Vancouver Judicial District were wrongly defined. After some discussion the matter was allowed to drop.

On motion of the Attorney-General section 8 was amended by adding the words "After the Governor-General in Council shall signify his assent to the provisions thereof."

The committee then reported the bill complete with amendment, and the report was adopted.

The Premier moved that the House in rising stood adjourned till 2 o'clock today.

Mr. Semlin asked why it was the Premier did not propose that the House should sit in the evening as announced.

Hon. Mr. Robson answered that the majority of the members of the House had engagements for the evening.

Mr. Semlin suggested that the Government should hold its caucus in the morning.

The Premier said it could not.

The House then adjourned.

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De. 8:00 A M	De. 2:30 P M		VICTORIA	Ar. 12:24 P M	Ar. 5:58 P M	78
" 8:04	2:34	1	RUSSELL'S	" 12:20	" 5:54	77
" 8:14	2:44	4	ESQUIMALT	" 12:10	" 5:44	74
" 8:39	3:09	11	GOLDSTREAM	" 11:45 A M	" 5:19	67
" 9:34	4:04	28	SHAWNIGAN LAKE	" 10:50	" 4:24	50
" 9:44	4:14	31	COBBLE HILL	" 10:40	" 4:14	47
" 9:57	4:29	35	McPHERSON'S	" 10:27	3:59	43
" 10:07	" 4:39	38	KOKSILAH	" 10:17	" 3:49	40
" 10:12	" 4:44	40	DUNCAN'S	" 10:12	" 3:44	38
" 10:22	" 4:54	43	SOMENOS	" 10:02	" 3:31	35
" 10:48	" :16	52	CHEMAINUS	" 9:36	" 3:12	26
Ar. 11:50	" 6:14		NANAIMO (Ar.)	De. 8:31	" 2:14	5
De. 11:59			NANAIMO (De.)	Ar. 8:25		
Ar. 12:14 P M	Ar. 6:29 P M		WELLINGTON	De. 8:10	De. 1:59	

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CANADIAN NOTES.

News by Mail and Wire From All Parts of the Dominion.

W. H. Ingram has been appointed collector of customs at St. Thomas.

Dr. Springer, a well known physican of Woodstock for over 30 years, is dead, aged 62.

Minister of Customs Chapleau, is reported to be much better, and all the danger is now over, but it will be some time before he is able to be around.

Clarke Wallace, M. P., grand sovereign of the Grand Orange Order, is making arrangements for a meeting of the Grand Lodge to be held in Montreal, next July.

The Quebec Gazette, one of the first newspapers published in Canada, is to be revived. Mr. Foote, proprietor of the Chronicle, will be the proprietor. It will be published as a weekly.

A protest has been filed against the return of Mr. Bennett for East Simcoe. The usual charges of corrupt practices are made and the seat is claimed for Dr. Spohn, the defeated Liberal candidate.

The Young Liberal Conservative Association has resolved to recommend Mr. T. G. Blackstock, Q.C., to the Conservative convention as a candidate for the vacant seat for Toronto in the Legislature.

The Allan line steamer Parisian has arrived at Halifax with 1000 immigrants of an excellent class, bound mostly for the Northwest. The steamer Buenos Ayrean, with 300 immigrants, also arrived yesterday morning.

The Toronto World says it is assured on good authority that Hon. Edward Blake has recently written a letter expressing his willingness to re-enter Parliament. If the protest against the return of Mr. Wilson for Lennox should prove successful it is said Mr. Blake will be invited to run in the Liberal interest.

The relatives of Thomas A. Edison, the electric inventor, reside in the vicinity of Port Burwell, in Elgin county, where he himself formerly lived, and it was generally supposed was born. A reply from his private secretary to a citizen's inquiry says: "Mr. Edison was born on Feb. 11, 1847, at Milan, in the State of Ohio."

Mr. McIntosh, of the suspended banking firm of McIntosh & McTaggart, of Brussels, has written from the United States saying that he has an ample surplus to square off all his accounts, but he had not nerve enough to face his trouble. He claims to have a margin over $20,000 of assets, which are $95,000 while his liabilities are only $73,000.

While boring at Lethbridge, N. W. T., for an artesian well, natural gas was struck at 575 feet, and work was immediately suspended. One of the workmen was severely burned. He was using a piece of red hot iron, which caused the gas to ignite, sending up a twelve-foot flame. The contractor has succeeded in extinguishing the flame and confining the gas.

The mounted policemen appointed by the U. S. government will patrol the Montana boundary line to prevent smugglers and Chinese from coming from Canada. The police will operate between the Canadian and Montana lines stationing one man at Poplar Creek, in Dawson County, and another at Fort Assinaboine, and two at Medicine Hat, in Choteau County and on the Kootenay river, near Idaho.

A dispatch from Magog states that Horace Hose, one of a party of youths out on a sporting expedition, while attempting to shoot a crow, prematurely discharged his gun. The charge struck his young brother, Charlie, passing through his heart and killing him instantly. Overcome with grief, Horace attempted to take his own life, but was prevented from doing so by his companions.

MUNICIPAL REFORM.

To the Editor:—I notice you disapprove of the proposition to confer a limited veto power upon a mayor or reeve of a municipality. I am pleased that a discussion has taken place upon the subject, as I am convinced that this question is becoming every year more and more a live issue. In common with many others who have given the matter thought I believe that a limited veto power is one of the best preventives against abuses which have grown up in municipal affairs.

The mayor or reeve is an official elected annually by the whole of the voters. The veto is a negative power: it is, so to speak, a brake bar upon the corporate machine. If through the exercise of that power the mayor retards the carrying out of some project which a large portion of the ratepayers think should proceed, there are many constitutional methods that can be adopted. At the utmost he cannot retard, in opposition to the views of a majority of the voters for a longer period than his own term of office. On the other hand, if he sees defective bylaws or measures or illegal acts and abuse of power, he can bring the issue prominently before the whole body of the electorate, by asking the council to reconsider their action. You must bear in mind that under my proposition two-thirds of the council can over-ride the mayor's veto, whereas most municipal reformers advocate an absolute veto power. To obtain efficient management of public affairs, you must confer power and responsibility upon some one. Can you name any official who is in a position to be more conversant with municipal affairs, and who is more directly responsible for his acts to the whole body of the electorate than the chief executive officer of the corporation? Without derogating from the position of an alderman, you must not lose sight of the fact that he is a ward representative only directly amenable as portion of the electorate. If the aldermen consider the in his view, they can may rest assured that ventative against illnd would result in lectors, and to erally, more especially if those interested would take more direct management in public matters.

The proper time to effectually apply a remedy is promptly before the evils committed. What is the use of stringent power being placed in irresponsible hands after the wrong has been done? Instead of driving the municipalities to the Legislature to remedy illegal acts, such things could be stopped under the veto power before they were accomplished. Another reform essential to good municipal management is to separate the executive and legislative functions. ROBERT BEAVEN.

April 6th, 1892.

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CORBETT AND SULLIVAN.

The Californian Slugger Thinks Himself a Match for John L.

New York, April 6.—A New Haven, Conn., special to the Herald says: Jas. J. Corbett, who boxed this evening with Jem Daly at Proctor's opera house in this city, talked more freely perhaps than he has before about his coming fight with John L. Sullivan. He said: "I know that the majority of people think that I will

JAMES J. CORBETT.

not be in it with Sullivan. I have boxed with him, and know that he has been the greatest man in this world. He is a wonderful man yet, but then there are other things to be taken into consideration. I am six feet and half-an-inch in height, and when I meet Sullivan will weigh 190 pounds. I have been acknowledged the most clever heavy weight in the world. Sullivan weighs 225 pounds, is 5 feet 10½ inches in height and has 25 pounds of fat on his body that he cannot get rid of. To sum up, I am taller than he is, have a longer reach, am more scientific and quicker. He is a much harder hitter than I am, and that no one can doubt. Then the question is, can I keep out of reach of his terrible blows long enough. When Sullivan met Paddy Ryan he only weighed 188, and no one ever thought that he would win the battle, or that any living man could whip Ryan. No one now thinks that Sullivan can be whipped. People seem to think that he can go on with his dissipation forever and not waste his strength, and that there are no strong young men growing up. I believe that I can whip Sullivan. No one but Sullivan can ever make me believe otherwise, and he will have to do so inside of the ropes. If I did not believe that I could whip him I would never meet him under the conditions that I am. I will return to New York in June and begin training in Ashbury Park on June 10. Jim Daly and Billy Delaney will by my trainers."

John L. Sullivan and James J. Corbett are matched for the largest amount of money ever fought for in the ring—$45,000—$20,000 in stakes and a $25,000 purse. The contest will take place probably before the Olympic Club of New Orleans, La., on September 7, next. Corbett, who is in his 26th year, is the son of a livery stable keeper in San Francisco. He is a fairly well educated young man, and was clerk in a bank when he began a sporting life. When 18 years old he fought a drawn battle with Jack Burke. He has defeated Mike Brennan, Joe Choynski, Dave Campbell and Kilrain, has had the best of it in a four round contest with Joe McAuliffe, and in May last fought a great fight with Peter Jackson before the California Athletic Club in San Francisco. After 61 rounds had been fought the referee's decision was given: "No contest," but Corbett had proved himself the abler man.

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Cronin's Murder at Chicago.

Chicago, April 5.—John F. Beggs, a lawyer, and senior guardian of Camp 20, Clan-na-Gael, at the time of the murder of Dr. Cronin, one of the five defendants in the celebrated trial, died this morning. Beggs was the only one acquitted of the five indicted for murder. It was claimed that he appointed the trial committee which decided upon Cronin's removal, and during the trial some very incriminating letters, which had passed between him and Edward Spillman, of Peoria, were discovered. The jury, however, failed to find in these letters or other evidence sufficient grounds to convict Beggs. Since the close of the trial Beggs dropped almost entirely out of public notice. He had kept up his interest in Irish affairs, however, and it was while marching in last St. Patrick's Day's procession that he caught the cold which resulted in his death.

China's Foreign Trade.

London, April 4.—A dispatch from Singapore states that the statistics just made public give the amount of China's foreign trade for 1891 as amounting to 234,000,000 taels, about $273,880,000, an increase of 20,000,000 taels over the export figures of 1890. The exports of opium have decreased in value, but increased in quantity. The cotton trade has largely decreased. The imports of kerosene have quintupled in the past 10 years. The purchases for 1891 amounted to 40,000 gallons of American and 10,000,000 of Russian oil. The exports of tea were slightly decreased, and those of silk have largely increased. The custom revenue figures show an increase of 1,700,000 taels over 1890.

Anarchists Sentenced.

London, April 4.—Three Wallsall anarchists were sentenced to ten years' penal servitude and one to five years.

A Prize Puzzle.

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fa18-tf

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Millers of China and Japan Rice
RICE MEAL,
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Delta Brand Family Flour,
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No. 64 & 66 Store St. Victoria.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL

MRS. McGREGOR,
MIDWIFE.
Has removed to No. 137 Cormorant St., above Blanchard.
fe27

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INTELLIGENCE OFFICE.

All kinds of Chinese Labor supplied at shortest Notice.

Contracts Taken.

24 HERALD STREET, - - - - VICTORIA, B.C.
fe15-3m

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Pioneer Grocer and Provision Dealer
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All Kinds of Chinese Help Furnished.
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DUCK LUNG,
GROCERIES AND PROVISION

EMPLOYMENT OFFICE

And contractor for Chinese labor at short notice. 42 Fisgard street, Victoria. P.O. Box 457. fe9-2m

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Tenders will be received by the undersigned for the erection and completion of the

Board of Trade Building

on or before Friday, 22nd April, proximo, at 12 o'clock noon.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Plans and specifications can be seen at my office.

A. MAXWELL MUIR, Architect.

Turner Building, Douglas street. m31td

JOHN MESTON

CARRIAGE MAKER
BLACKSMITH, ETC.
Broad street, between Johnson and Pandora streets
VICTORIA B. C.

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.

From and after this date I shall not be responsible for any debts contracted without my written authority.

W. F. TOLMIE.

Victoria Sept. 2, 1891. se2-tf

NOTICE.

I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife or any other person on her behalf.

JOHN J. RUSSELL, Strawberry Vale Farm

Victoria Dec. 11, 1890. de12-tf

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned under the name and style of Conlin & Rendall has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The business will hereafter be carried on by Mr. Rendall, who will collect all debts due to the firm and pay all liabilities.

Dated this 10th day of March, 1892.

M. J. CONLIN,
WM. RENDALL.

mh10-1m

Notice is hereby given that the partnership lately subsisting between the undersigned under the firm or style of "Braden & Stamford," has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

The said business will henceforth be carried on by the undersigned James Leonard Stamford, who will receive all accounts and pay all liabilities.

Dated the 26th day of March, 1892.

JOHN BRADEN,
J. L. STAMFORD

m28-1m

Notice is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend applying to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Land and Works for permission to purchase the following described tract of land situate on the south shore of Nahmint bay, Alberni canal; Commencing at a post on the shore of Alberni canal; thence west 80 chains; thence north 40 chains to the Nahmint river; thence meandering east along the shore to the place of commencement, containing 160 acres more or less.

H. R. McINTYRE.

January 30th, 1892. feb1

Notice is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase one hundred and sixty (160) acres of land, situated in Alberni District, Vancouver Island, and more particularly described as follows:—Beginning at the northeast corner of the land purchased by Beaumont Boggs, being Section 78; thence along the line of the said land in a westerly direction 40 chains; thence in a northerly direction 40 chains, more or less, to the line of the Indian Reserve; thence easterly along the line of said Indian Reserve about 40 chains to the shore line; thence along the said shore line to the point of commencement; containing in all 160 acres, more or less.

W. D. McGREGOR.

Victoria, B.C., January 16th, 1892. ja22

Notice is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend applying to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described tract of land situate on Nahmint river, Alberni canal: Commencing at a post on the river and about 1 mile west from Alberni canal, thence south 40 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence east 40 chains along the bank of the river to place of commencement, containing about 160 acres more or less.

January 29, 1892. FRANK G. NORRIS.

MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

Public notice is hereby given to the electors of the Municipality of Johnson Street Ward that I require the presence of the said electors at the Council Chambers, City Hall, on Saturday, the ninth day of April, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing a person to represent them in the Municipal Council as Alderman for Johnson Street Ward, vice J. C. Devlin, resigned.

The mode of nomination shall be as follows: The candidates shall be nominated in writing; the writing shall be subscribed by two voters as proposer and seconder, and shall be delivered to the Returning Officer at any time between the date of the notice and 2 p.m. of the day of nomination, and in the event of a poll being necessary, such poll will be opened on the twelfth day of April at the Council Chambers, City Hall, of which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

Given under my hand at Victoria, the 4th day of April, 1892.

W. K. BULL,
Returning Officer.

Public notice is hereby given to the electors of Johnson Street Ward, of the municipality of the City of Victoria, that I require the presence of the said electors at the Council Chambers, City Hall, on the ninth day of April, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of nominating or electing a person to represent them in the Municipal Council as Alderman for Johnson Street Ward, vice J. C. Devlin resigned.

W. J. DOWLER,
C.M.C.

ap4

MUNICIPAL.

Tenders will be received at the office of the undersigned until Wednesday, the 6th day of April next at 4 p.m. for laying three stone crossings in this city.

Specifications may be seen on and after Friday, the 25th inst., at the office of the City Surveyor.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

By order,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C.M.C.

City Clerk's office, March 24, 1892. mh24

MUNICIPAL.

Victoria Crescent, from its intersection with McClure street, to Quadra street, is closed to traffic during removal of rock, until further notice.

S. T. STYLES,
Chairman Street Committee.

Victoria, March 3rd, 1892. mh3

GUITARS
The Marquette, Quarter-sawed Sycamore $7.50
The Lakeside, Quarter-sawed Oak, $9.00
The Arion, Solid Mahogany, $11.00
The Conservatory, Solid Rosewood,

MANDOLINS
The Lakeside,
The Arion,
The Conservatory,

LYON & HEALY, 156 to 164 State St., Chicago.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

Advertisements under this head, three lines or under, two insertions, FREE. This applies only to men or women, boys or girls, looking for situations.

WANTED—Position as manager of horse or cattle ranch, by young married man. Understands breeding and shipping of stock; also farming in all branches. Good business education. Could take entire charge. Address Dalby & Claxton, Victoria. ap2-1w

SITUATIONS VACANT.

Advertisements under this head will be inserted at the rate of one cent a word each insertion. Payment always in advance. No advertisement received for less than twenty-five cents.

WANTED—A suitable person to fill the position of matron of the W. C. T. U. Refuge Home. Applications to be made to Mrs. David Spencer, 12 Belleville street. a6-4t

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply 59 King's road. ap6-tf

WANTED—A young lady at the waiting parlor of the Queen Photograph Studio, 43 Fort street. apr6-tf

WANTED—Bookkeeper for evening work. Must be neat fast writer. Apply to T. T. TIMES office. ap6-2t

WANTED—Ward maid and male nurse, for the Jubilee Hospital. ap2-tf

WANTED—A housemaid. Apply to Mrs. G. A. McTavish, Beacon Hill Park. ap1

WANTED—Two apprentices to learn the millinery business. Enquire of Mrs. Bowness, Lansdowne House, 86 Yates street. ap1-tf

WANTED—Smart intelligent boy, also good hand ironers at the Victoria Steam Laundry. m21

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS.

Advertisements under this head will be inserted at the rate of one cent a word each insertion. Payment always in advance. No advertisement received for less than twenty-five cents.

A GENTLEMAN WANTED, to occupy a comfortable bedroom and board with a private family. Apply M. Mr. McConnan's bookstore, Fort street. ap5-3t

VACANCY FOR BOARDERS at No. 8 Humboldt street. ap4-1w

WANTED—A partner with some capital to open up a business in new part of Vancouver Island. Good investment for the right man. Address B.W., TIMES office. ap4-6t

WANTED—Twenty to forty acres cleared land for fruit and poultry ranch, with small dwelling, near to Victoria. Must be good value. Dalby & Claxton, 64 Yates street. ap2 6t

HOUSE WANTED—Before the 1st April, an eight-roomed house wanted to rent. One conveniently situated and comparatively new preferred. Address X.Y.Z, TIMES office. m5

LOST OR FOUND.

LOST—Self-registering thermometer. If returned uninjured to TIMES office, $2.00 reward. ap6-1t

TO LET.

Advertisements under this head will be inserted at the rate of a cent a word each insertion. Payment always in advance. No advertisement received for less than twenty-five cents.

TO RENT—Three rooms, furnished, suitable for housekeeping. 36 View street, a6-3t

TO LET—House and furniture, 79 Discovery street. Apply to Heisterman & Co., Government street. mh31 tf

TO LET—Two unfurnished rooms, suitable for small family, Pierre Block. m31-1w

HOUSES:—

On Amphion street, $10.
On Belton avenue, Victoria West, $12.
On North Park street, No. 105, $14.
On Vancouver street, $18.
On King's road, No. 18, $20.
On South Turner St., James Bay, No. 44 $20.
On Labouchere street, $21.
On Bellot street, $21.50.
On Belcher avenue, $25.
On Vancouver street, $25.
Offices, stores and sample rooms.

m26 Apply to CRANE, MCGREGOR & BOGGS.

TO RENT—Dwelling house of eight rooms with bath, outhouse, dry cellar, etc., with all modern improvements. A first-class neighborhood, beautiful lawn, and all in first-class repair. On a two years' lease at a most reasonable rent to parties that will purchase the household effects, all of which are nearly new. For further particulars address J. H. S., Box 161, city. mh26 s

TO RENT—Small store, with 6 rooms and kitchen. Apply J. Mortimer, auctioneer, corner View and Broad streets. mh17-tf

TO RENT—New 6-roomed cottage on Fifth street, $12 per month. T. G. Rayner, Real Estate, Trounce avenue. mh17-tf

TO LET—A 2-story house, furnished, within three minutes' walk of Beacon Hill; for six months, from 15th April to 15th October. For further particulars apply to Hall, Goepel & Co., 100 Government street. fe19-tf

FOR SALE.

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FOR SALE—A new four-roomed cottage, between Cook and Chambers streets. Third down, balance on time. Apply at No. 8 Cedar Hill road. ap5-1w

FOR SALE—Several choice pieces of five-acre lots, suitable for vegetable gardening, all cleared and under good cultivation. Within three miles of the city. Page & MacGregor. ap4-1w

FOR SALE—A first-class boarding house; three minutes' walk from postoffice. Sleeping accommodation for 25 boarders; also a good transient business. Satisfactory reasons for selling. For particulars address "Boarding House," TIMES office. mh28-tf

WE offer the following bargains:—

House, Quadra street, 5 rooms, rented $16. Price $1600.

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Chicken ranch, 5 acres, long terms. Price $750.

Two lots, Jessie street, Victoria West. Price $650 each.

One lot, Victoria West, long terms. Price $325.

Two lots near Oak Bay avenue, long terms. Price $275 each.

m26 Apply to CRANE, MCGREGOR & BOGGS.

FOR SALE—The beautifully situated property 49 Third street; good house, and well-stocked fruit and vegetable garden, with back and front entrance. Apply on the premises. mh19-1m

FOR SALE—30 acres good land, seven acres under cultivation. Fine chance for market garden. Nine miles from city. Price $2200. Apply Crane, McGregor & Boggs. mh5

GENERAL BUSINESS — Situated in the town of Revelstoke, for sale. No better business centre in the Province. Terms easy. For same apply to C. B. Hume, Revelstoke, or to J. F. Hume & Co., Nelson, B.C. fe18 tf

FOR SALE—Fine building lot close to Dunsmuir Castle, 50x120 9". Price $900. Apply to Dalby & Claxton, 64 Yates street. fe3

FOR SALE—Cheap corner lot on Burnside road, 56 6"x121 6". Price $425. Dalby & Claxton, 64 Yates street. fe3

FOR SALE—Good residential lot on Menzies street, opposite the Government grounds. Price $1650. Dalby & Claxton, 64 Yates St. fe3

FOR SALE—Five acres on Belcher street, magnificent site. Price $9000. Dalby & Claxton, 64 Yates street. fe3

FOR SALE—Lots in Fir Grove Estate, from $125 upwards. Beautiful suburban location. Dalby & Claxton, 64 Yates street. fe3

FOR SALE—Half-acre on Gorge road, $1350. Terms easy. Cleared land. Dalby & Claxton, 64 Yates street. fe

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VICTORIA LOAN OFFICE,
Corner Government and Pandora streets
Money advanced on all kinds of approved security. Business strictly confidential. my4

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THE NORWICH UNION
FIRE INSURANCE SOCIETY,
Established 1797. Amount insured $300,000,000.
H. D. HELMCKEN, Agent
Bastion street, Victoria, B. C. jan3-1y

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McNAUGHTON'S DETECTIVE SERVICE
ROOM 10, FIVE SISTERS' BLOCK.
General Detective business transacted for corporations and individuals.
References furnished.
E. D. McNAUGHTON,
mh1 Manager.

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DR. ERNEST HALL,
L.R.C.P., and C.M., Edinburgh.
SPECIALTY:—Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.
Jewell Block, corner Yates and Douglas Sts

DRS. HALL & LEITCH,
OFFICES:—DRIARD BLOCK, 60 DOUGLAS ST.
Dr. F. W. HALL, M.D.C.M.
Dr. H. D. LEITCH, M.D.C.M., M.C.P.S.O., F.T.M.S.
Specialty—Diseases of Women and Diseases of Rectum. Lately attending Woman's Hospital and Post Graduate School and Hospital New York. an5

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DR. JOHN HALL
98 Yates street, over Cochrane and Munn's Drug Store.
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Office hours, from 1 to 4 p.m only excepting sunday and holidays.

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PIANOFORTE MAKER AND TUNER.
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S. F. TOLMIE,
VETERINARY SURGEON,
Graduate Ont. Vet. Col., Member Ont. Vet. Med. Soc. (Late with Dr. John Wende, V. S., Buffalo, N. Y.) Office at Ewing's Livery, 100 Johnson Street. Telephone 182; residence telephone 417. VICTORIA, B. C.

ARCHITECTS.

S. MAY GODDARD,
ARCHITECT.
Rooms 11 and 12 Williams Block, Broad street. ap5

THOMAS HOOPER,
ARCHITECT.
Office over SPENCER'S ARCADE, Government street. jy5-tf

JNO. TEAGUE,
ARCHITECT,
Has removed to new offices corner of Broad street and Trounce avenue. fe20tf

SOCIETIES.

B. C. PIONEER SOCIETY.
The Hall of the above society in Musgrave Block, Broad street, is open daily from 10 a.m., to 4 p.m., for the convenience of Pioneers and their friends, who are cordially invited to visit the rooms.

ANCIENT ORDER FORESTERS
Court Vancouver No. 5755, A.O.F., meets 1st and 3rd Mondays in each month in Foresters' Hall, Government street. Visiting brothers are invited.
fe13 SIDNEY WILSON, Sec.

VICTORIA-COLUMBIA LODGE,
No. 1, A.F. & A.M., B.C.R. Regular communications the first Thursday in each month, at Masonic Temple, corner of Douglas and Fisgard streets. Sojourning brethren cordially invited.
ja16 C. DUBOIS MASON, Secretary.

VANCOUVER & QUADRA LODGE,
No. 2, A. F. & A. M., B.C.R. Regular communication the third Wednesday in each month, at Masonic Temple, corner Douglas and Fisgard streets. Sojourning brethren cordially invited. jy28 R. A. BROWN, Secretary.

COLUMBIA ROYAL ARCH
Chapter, No. 139, G.R.S. Regular convocations held on the first Tuesday of every month, at Chanter Hall, Masonic Temple, Douglas street, sojourning companions cordially invited. E. LANGLEY,
1-1y Scribe K.

FAR WEST LODGE, No. 1, K. of P
Regular convention every Friday evening at Foresters' Hall, Government street. Sojourning Knights are cordially invited to attend. E. PFERDNER,
oct9 K. of R. & S.

ST. ANDREW'S & CALEDONIAN
Society meets in their hall, corner Langley and Yates streets, on the first Friday in every month. All Scotchmen are invited to join
J. M. MURDOCH, Secretary.

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PETER HANSEN
CITY SCAVENGER.
Yards and cesspools cleaned by contract or monthly. Prompt attention given to all orders and prices reasonable.
Orders left at Dixi Ross & Co.'s and Robert Porter's, Island Market, Johnson and Douglas streets.
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Yards and cesspools cleaned, contracts made for removing earth, etc. All orders left with Jas. Fell & Co., Fort street, grocers; Cochrane & Munn, corner Yates and Douglas streets, or George Doughty, corner Fort and Blanchard streets, will be promptly attended to. Coal and wood for sale. a22-1y

MISCELLANEOUS.

QUEEN'S MARKET.
L. GOODACRE.
Government street, Victoria, B. C., wholesale and retail Butcher. Contractor by appointment to Her Majesty's Royal Navy.

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WM. TEMPLEMAN, Manager

The Daily Times.

A TRAITOROUS REPRESENTATIVE.

Mr. Hunter, the Victoria alderman who got into the Legislature via the Comox air line, is the bitterest enemy Victoria has in that body. Unfortunately he has a little prominence from his connection with Honest John, of whom he is a relative of some kind. Take the support of the family and the railway from behind him and he would be as innocuous as the gentleman from Alberni or—a chip in porridge. The next move of Aldermen Hunter is foreshadowed by the following notice of amendment which he will move in the Legislature:

"(*a.*) The Corporation of the City of Victoria shall, within three years from the passing of this act, complete the work of laying a line of pipes connecting the waters of Goldstream River with the pipes of the Corporation in the City of Victoria; otherwise, the privileges granted under section 7 of this act shall cease and determine."

It would seem that Ald. Hunter intended to harrass the municipality on every possible occasion. He is not satisfied with the Legislature giving to the Esquimalt Waterworks Company the right to go to Goldstream and take water, a right the city corporation has had since 1873, but he proposes by the above notice to cancel all the rights and privileges of the city of Victoria if the city does not complete within three years the work of laying down line of pipes connecting with the waters of Goldstream. It is astonishing that an alderman, who, by the way, is a member of the water committee, should urge upon the Legislature such a measure. But the astonishment is lessened when that alderman is known to be Mr. Hunter, who is the servant of a great corporation.

MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT.

The letter from Mayor Beaven which appears in another column sets forth very clearly and strongly the argument in support of his proposition to endow mayors and reeves with the veto power. His contention that some check on hasty and crude legislation by municipal councils is advisable is certainly not without force, but we still submit that if such a check is to be applied it should come from outside the council and not from a constituent part thereof. That is to say, Mayor Beaven would have acted more logically if he had commenced with the proposal for reform which he offers at the end of his letter, namely, to separate the executive and legislative functions and make the mayor or reeve a purely executive officer. In the American municipal system that is the principle adopted; the mayor takes no part in the proceedings of the council, but is given the power of veto—in some cities absolute and in others limited. He bears, in short, the same relation to the council that the President bears to Congress. Under such a system the power of veto or revision fits in logically, but, with all due respect to Mayor Beaven, we cannot see that it would so fit in where the vetoer is at the same time one of the legislators. With Mr. Beaven in the chair there would be no danger of mischief, but cities cannot always have the same security against danger under the proposed plan.

As to the relative merits of the system which we now follow and the American system, under which the executive and legislative functions are separate, municipal doctors differ. Col. Albert Shaw, whose able magazine articles on Glasgow and Birmingham civic government some time since attracted much attention, pronounced emphatically in favor of the system which prevails in those cities, and that is substantially the system we now follow. His dictum is that no American city is so well governed as the two mentioned, and he must be regarded as a capable judge. Other municipal reformers of equal weight prefer the American plan, so the question of relative merits is by no means settled. In all probability the two systems will answer equally well where the *material* selected for the governing body is of the right sort. That is to say, the success or failure of either scheme of municipal administration depends largely on the citizens themselves. Glasgow and Birmingham are models in the way of civic government chiefly because their councils, including the presiding officers, are made up of men of the right class.

NELSON AND FORT SHEPPARD.

Mr. Harry Abbott, General Superintendent of the Western Division of the C.P.R., upon being interviewed by a reporter of a Victoria paper, said that the rumor that the C.P.R. Company was actively opposing the granting of a charter to the Nelson and Fort Sheppard Railway was utterly groundless. There is a very general impression in British Columbia that the opposition given at Ottawa last year to this railway came directly from the C.P.R. Company, and, if we are correctly informed, Superintendent Abbott and counsel appeared before the railway committee of the British Columbia Legislature last winter and opposed the application for a local charter. Whatever may be the present attitude of the Canadian Pacific to the Nelson and Fort Sheppard line, it is certain that the opposition to a Dominion charter is believed by the promoters of the bill to come from that quarter. Telegrams to that effect have been received in Victoria within the past two days. There is one fact, however, that is very clear about this matter. The Provincial Legislature and the Ottawa representatives of British Columbia are unanimously in favor of a Dominion charter being granted. The opposition does not come from any of the other provinces, or from either of the political parties in the House. It must have had its origin somewhere, and if the advocates of the scheme have attributed the present opposition to the C. P. R. they have, as a reason for so doing, the former attitude of that powerful company to the bill both at Victoria and Ottawa. We are, however, gratified to learn from such a high authority that the Canadian Pacific is not now opposing the Fort Sheppard project, as we thereby feel assured that the only obstacle to a Dominion charter has been removed.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The Attorney-General of British Columbia has appeared in a new role. When time permits, he canvasses for advertisements for a daily paper. Mr. Davie, we are convinced, will make a successful canvasser. His abilities in that line might be utilized by the Colonist to the mutual advantage of both parties.

S. P. Tuck has sent to the Council a demand for one month's salary. Although he has not done any work for the corporation, his name has been bandied about by the aldermen to such an extent, and he has been kept on the ragged edges of expectancy and despair so long, that his request for one month's pay will not seem unreasonable to those who sympathize with him. If the Council runs against any more snags of this kind the people will begin to thing that the ship is not well manned.

WHARF AND WAVE.

Jottings of Interest to Marine Men Concisely Compiled.

The Mystery is expected up from the West Coast this evening.

Steamer City of Kingston left for the Sound this morning and will resume her trips to-morrow morning.

The steamer Burt has been chartered for three months by Captain Whitelaw to work around the San Pedro.

The steamer Sadie is yet tied up at Spratt's wharf. The cabin furniture was taken aboard to-day. The steamer may not leave for the north for several days.

PERSONAL.

Movements of Well Known People in Various Directions.

M. Manson, of Nanaimo, is in the city.

J. S. Anderson, of Vancouver, is at the Driard.

W. J. Gallagher, of the Vancouver Telegram, is in the city.

R. P. Rithet and Capt. John Irving leave for California to-morrow.

C. D. Vincent will be a passenger by to-morrow's boat for California.

Bishop Ridley and Mrs. Ridley, of Metlakathla, are in town on their way to England.

Struck by an Engine.

NEW YORK, April 6.—A Gloucester, N. Y., special to the Times says: Joseph Madden, a book-maker at the race track and a well known sporting man of Philadelphia, while boarding a train here for that city was struck by the engine of a train on the adjoining track. He was thrown beneath the wheels of the train and had his right arm cut off above the elbow and was badly cut about the head. He was taken to the hospital where the mangled stump of the arm was amputated. The physicians at the hospital all fear that he has been injured internally and will die.

CAPT. WILLIAM MOORE.

MESSRS. LANGLEY & CO.
DEAR SIRS:—

I have great pleasure in giving you this testimonial for your Balsam of Aniseed, having used it for many years in my family, for coughs, colds, bronchitis. One or two bottles generally effecting a cure in bronchitis.

Yours truly,
WM. MOORE.
Victoria, Feb. 23rd, 1892.
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C. B. LOCKHART & CO.,
Funeral Directors and Embalmers.

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BRIEF LOCALS.

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When suffering from toothache try Gibbons' Toothache gum. Sold by all druggists.

Your clothes will last longer and look better if you get them washed at the Steam Laundry, Yates street. When house cleaning send your lace curtains.

A WONDERFUL SAW.

It Will Cut Through Nickel Armor Plates Twenty Inches Thick.

Carnegie, Phipps & Co. are about to add to the finishing plant of the armor department of their Homestead mill, says a Pittsburg dispatch to the St. Louis Globe-Democrat, a gigantic tool which will greatly expedite the delivery of armor-plates for the new warships. It is a steel saw weighing 110 tons that will cut a nickel-steel armor plate as an ordinary saw walks through a plank. These armor-plates range in weight from eight to 38 tons, and reach a length of 20 feet and a thickness of 20 inches. The armor of a modern war vessel cannot be put on like a sock, all in one piece. It is built on the frame of the ship, rather like the scales of a fish. In finishing the plates ready for fitting they have to be beveled along the edge where they fit together. This has been done heretofore with planing machines, which slowly and laboriously, a shaving at a time, cut them down to the desired shape. This saw has a blade 7 feet 6 inches in diameter, geared from above and revolving horizontally. The armor plate is placed on the tilting table, adjustable to any angle, and presented to the edge of the saw endwise. The forward motion of the carrying table thrusts the plate steadily against the flying teeth, and an angular slab of cold nickel steel, weighing perhaps a dozen tons, is taken off like the slab off a pine log. It will be used also for cutting plates into any desired dimension.

With the revival of naval construction the problem of providing heavy armor rapidly has vexed the soul of more than one secretary of the navy, and challenged the enterprise of American manufacturers. This is the latest contribution to its solution by Carnegie, Phipps & Co., and comes opportunely at the time when chairman Herbert of the navy appropriations committee is arguing against authorizing the construction of any additional battleships, because there has been delay in furnishing armor plate. This saw will be the first of its kind used in this country. It is an improvement on a similar tool used in the Krupp cannon works at Essen. It cost about $35,000, and will be set up early next month.

Mothers

Castoria is recommended by physicians for children teething. It is a purely vegetable preparation, its ingredients are published around each bottle. It is pleasant to the taste and absolutely harmless. It relieves constipation, regulates the bowels, quiets pain, cures diarrhœa and wind colic, allays feverishness, destroys worms, and prevents convulsions, soothes the child and gives it refreshing and natural sleep. Castoria is the children's panacea—the mothers' friend. 35 doses, 35 cents.

H.M.S. Redpole, which arrived at Shanghai from Chingkiang on the afternoon of the 10th, while turning round to make fast to the Associated Wharves' lower buoy, drifted at the top of high water on the Cygnet, where she remained about an hour. Not much damage was done, as only the two boat davits in the waist of the man-of-war on the starboard side were bent.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

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Use "Highland Brand" Evaporated Cream.

A Matron Wanted.

The W. C. T. U. are advertising for a suitable person to fill the position of matron of the Refuge Home.

Wanted.

$10,000 American silver at par in exchange for boots and shoes, at Carmichael & Paterson's, 35 Johnson St.

Just Arrived.

Queen olives, sauerkraut, German salt pickles and mixed pickles in bulk, at Watson & Hall's, 55 Yates street. *

Canoe Club Meeting.

Another meeting of the new Canoe Club will be held this evening at the office of Messrs. Crane, McGregor & Boggs.

Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the B. C. Pioneer Society will be held this evening for the purpose of electing officers and considering a resolution to alter the by-laws.

Lacrosse Association.

The annual meeting of the British Columbia Lacrosse Association will be held in this city Saturday evening, when officers will be elected, reports received and a schedule arranged.

Mrs. Johnson's Lecture.

Mrs. Johnson, who lectures to-night in the Presbyterian schoolroom, is not only a talented speaker but an accomplished musician, and her daughter, who accompanies her, is an elocutionist. Admission free.

Farewell Performance.

Baldwin's Butterfly Company played to another good house at the Victoria theatre last evening, with a decided change of programme. Prof. and Mrs. Baldwin go to the Sound on a visit and the rest of the company go direct to London, England.

Another Lodge.

Mount Tolmie Lodge, C.O.O.F., M.U., was instituted last evening by D.D.G.M. S. J. Wade and other officers of the order. The officers of the new lodge are: J. H. Brownlee, N.G.; John A. Pollin, V.G.; S. Pollock, secretary; Edgar Brown, warden; and R. Pollock, conductor.

Donations Acknowledged.

The ladies' committee of the P. O. Home acknowledge the following donations in March: Milk (daily), Mrs. Knowles, Mr. G. Rogers; clothing, Mr. Bywater, Messrs. Pemberton, Mrs. Goodacre; boots, Mrs. Dr. Powell; canned beef, D. & H., and $5 from "a lover of children."

For the Orient.

The C.P.R. steamer Empress of India is due from the mainland this evening and will sail for the Orient as soon as the mail and passengers from this port have been put aboard. The passengers who join her here are G. H. Preston, L. Stewart, H. Ray Miller, Heber Bishop, L. Nance, H. A. Budd, R. Tweedale, A. Hogland and ten Chinamen.

Government Caucus.

A well attended Government caucus was held last evening, the principal subject of discussion it is understood, being the subsidizing of railways and land grants. The Canada Western and Canadian Northern railway charters were discussed, and there was talk of holding morning sessions to enable the House to get through its labors by Easter.

The Boscowitz Arrives.

The steamer Barbara Boscowitz, Capt. Williams, arrived from northern points this morning after a pleasant trip. Among the passengers down were: Bishop Ridley, Mrs. Ridley, Miss West, E. Johnson, J. Wehner and four Indians. The Royal Canadian Company's mill at Claxton, on the Skeena, is about ready for work, the manager expecting to cut shingles the day after the Boscowitz arrived.

The Synod of British Columbia.

At a meeting of the Presbyterian Home Mission committee held in Toronto the Rev. P. McF. McLeod made an address on behalf of the proposal to divide the present Presbytery of Columbia into three presbyteries which, with the Calgary Presbytery, should be erected into a distinct synod. The committee gave its approval to the scheme, leaving all the details to be decided by the General Assembly which meets in Montreal next June.

Another Notice of Motion.

Ald. Munn has given notice that at this evening's meeting of the council he will move that, in the opinion of the council the result of the balloting of March 2nd for the position of city engineer should not be carried into effect; and that the candidate who received the highest number of votes should not be appointed to the position, but that the council should proceed by some other system to fill the vacancy. This, with the other notices of motion, will make an interesting meeting of the council this evening.

Trouble Among Indian Gamblers.

The siwash sportsmen do not take any more kindly to losing money on their peculiar games than their fairer brethren do on the result of a fake foot race. Johnnie, a Fort Rupert Indian, was lucky in winning $10 or so from Billy at a game on the reserve last night. Billy's klootchman put a stop to the game when she saw how matters were going and got Officer Abel to lock Johnnie up on a charge of stealing $29. The case came up for hearing in the police court this morning and the prisoner was discharged, Billy who had got back the little money he had lost refusing to appear against his brother gambler.

The Printers Walk Out.

Owing to a disagreement between the manager of the News and the foreman of the composing room, the printers walked out in a body last night and the paper was not issued this morning. The manager publishes a card, in which he says the foreman was discharged "that the compositors, making the ... sal a personal matter, quit ... The ... of the Chapel" ... was "owing ... called for ... but does ... rike ap- ... ay just ... of the union as a body. The manager promises that the paper will re-appear tomorrow.

CARPETS
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Standard Works.

See prices in the windows of Kerr & Begg's bookstore this week. *

Opened.

The British Columbia Medico-Electric Institute and Turkish Baths, corner of Broad and Yates street, are again in full operation with Dr. W. E. Bergman as manager. The baths are open from 7 a.m. to 10 p.m. *

A Miniature Snow Storm.

Victoria was visited this morning by a miniature snow storm which, however, lasted but a few minutes and the sun was out and shining as bright as ever before the average business man started from his house for the store.

A Pioneer Drowned in the Thompson.

Last Friday the body of a man was found by Indians near Old Necomin, Thompson River. The result of the inquest, held by Mr. Dodd of Yale, and Dr. Clarke, coroner of Kamloops, prove the deceased to be Joe Thompson, who came to the Fraser in 1858 and resided in the province ever since. A verdict of accidental drowning was returned.

Around the World.

Four members of the New York "four hundred" spent last night and today in Victoria, seeing the sights and becoming acquainted with members of their "set" in Victoria. They are H. R. Bishop, Lespenard Stewart, H. R. Miller, A. Laufear Norrie and their valets. They are on their way around the world, and will leave for the Orient by the Empress of India this evening.

The Canada Western.

Col. A. H. Kane, of Chicago, who since last November has been busy in the east endeavoring to enlist eastern capitalists in the Canada Western Railway scheme is in the city. When seen by a TIMES representative this morning the Colonel, who is always courteous to newspaper men, showed an aversion to speak of his visit to Victoria. He, however, said that the gentlemen who had interested themselves in the railway represented $24,000,000 of capital and were practical railway men who did not have to rely on any outside engineers for details. He was confident that the company would commence the construction of the railway in seven or eight months, in fact they have already made preliminary arrangements for the purchase of rails. The party will no doubt come out here this year.

The Crow's Nest Line.

A private letter received in the city last evening states that the C.P.R. is being located from the Summit to Fort McLeod. The party is now at the Piegan reserve, 24 miles west of Fort McLeod, and will make a junction with the Calgary & Edmonton road within two weeks. The construction of the road has, without doubt, been decided upon. The grades so far are but one per cent., which is considered very light. The C.P.R. is not to have a monopoly of the Pass, as other lines are asking for charters to come through. The C.P.R. police patrol in charge of an officer will follow construction until it enters British Columbia, when they will likely go through into the Kootenay country. There is a deal of excitement over the new townsite of McLeod. It is proposed to move the present town two or three miles nearer to the mountains.

Dong Boo's Courtship Objectionable.

Dong Boo is not a very prepossessing Chinaman, but he is evidently a firm believer in the theory that in trying to win a woman's affections perseverance is the royal road to success. For some time Dong Boo has been paying marked attention to Wong Choy, paying her bills, dunning her for repayment, and it is alleged has gone so far as to make threats of chastising his enamorato with a heavy iron bar if she would not marry him. Wong Choy objected to Dong Boo's manner of courtship and this morning had him up before the police court on a charge of intimidation. Mr. Walker appeared for the prosecution with the iron persuader wrapped in a piece of paper, and Mr. Fell appeared for the defence. The court asked the counsel for the principals to try and have the matter settled out of court, intimating that the defendant's recognizance not to further molest the woman would be acceptable to the court. The counsel for both sides expressed willingness to settle the courting scrape out of court and the case was remanded for two days to smooth matters over.

"Scots Wha Hae."

Those who attended the "At Home" given by the members of the Sir William Wallace Society last evening must have felt thoroughly satisfied with the manner in which the programme was rendered. The programme was so varied, consisting as it did of songs, readings dances and the strains of the inimitable bagpipes, that one who could not enjoy it must be very hard indeed to please. Perhaps the part that drew forth the most rapturous applause was the dancing of the Highland Fling by Master J. R. MacKenzie and Miss MacKenzie and Mr. Anderson. The following programme was given:

PART I.

Bagpipes	Mr. G. Taylor
Duett (piano)	Misses McAdams and Ring
Dance (Highland fling)	Mr. Wm. Anderson, Master J. R. Mackenzie and Miss MacKenzie
Reading	Miss Herd
Song	Miss Jamieson
Song	Mr. Thorn
Reading	Miss Collins
Sword Dance	Master J. R. Mackenzie

PART II.

Song	Miss O'Neil
Song	Mrs Turnbull
Song	Mr. Simpson
Reading	Miss Lawson
Solo	Miss A. Brown
Dance (Sailor's Hornpipe)	Mr. W. Anderson

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Wanted.

Two apprentices to learn the millinery business. Inquire of Mrs. Bowness, Lansdowne House, 86 Yates street. a1tf

KANAKA THIEF CAUGHT.

He Stole a Valise and Got Two Months for His Trouble.

A few minutes before 10 o'clock this morning David Kaluna was locked up at the police station, on an information charging him with the larceny of a valise worth $8. At the police court before J. P's. Ward and Shakespeare, Kaluna pleaded not guilty. It was shown, however, in evidence, that the prisoner was in the habit of visiting the cabin of John Burke, Chatham street. On Monday night Burke came home and found his cabin door opened and the valise missing. Officer McDonald was notified of the loss and after a search found the missing article in the Victoria loan office, where it was pawned by the prisoner for $1. The clerk in the Loan Office identified the prisoner as the man who pawned the valise. The court adjudged Kaluna guilty and sentenced him to two months' imprisonment at hard labor.

The case of James Barnswell, charged with assaulting a Chinaman by striking him with a stone, was remanded for a day at the request of the defence.

One drunk was assessed the usual $5.

Inconsiderate Motorneer.

Between twelve and one o'clock today a slight accident occurred to one of the James Bay street cars, which caused it to stop for several minutes. The Pandora street car, which was coming behind the James Bay car, of course also had to stop, but without any consideration for the public the motorneer stopped the car right on the crossing, and there it remained. A lady and several gentlemen had to go into the mud to get past, while others went around the other crossing. The motorneer's attention was drawn to the fact, but instead of taking action as any gentleman would have done, he seemed to think it a piece of impertinence on the part of the person who drew his attention to the car being on the crossing.

Flooded the Sewers.

The sewerage committee assisted by Engineer Mohun, went out to Fairfield road yesterday to investigate a complaint made that the sewers had been flooded by a natural water course being dammed. It was found that Joseph Phœnix had dammed a natural course and as stated the sewers were flooded and work delayed. The committee will report at this evening's meeting of the council.

County Court.

There are more cases to be disposed of at the April sitting of the County Court, which commences to-morrow, than has ever been before a British Columbia County Court. The only case to attract attention is the one of Earle vs. the city for $100 for a horse killed by an electric wire. The other ones are suits for small or large debts.

Prospects for Angeles.

A gentleman who is in a position to know says that real estate in Port Angeles has an upward tendency at present, and he is sure that Port Angeles will be again brought into prominence this summer. He thinks that the railway from Olympia to Port Townsend will be built this year, and the line then extended to Angeles.

Sailors Deserting.

The sealing schooner Rosie Olsen, Capt. Kiefe, was in the roads for several hours yesterday, leaving again before night. The captain, who came ashore, reported that five men had deserted from the Sea Lion, four from the Carmolite and two from another schooner. He came up to get a new cook.

Old Folks' Home.

Probably the oldest man in Victoria is F. Creegan, who is at present an inmate of the Old Folks' Home. He is 94 years of age and a pensioner of the British army. Another old pensioner, Geo. Conner, will be admitted shortly, a couple of the inmates having found homes outside the institution.

Wait for the Assizes.

The Chinaman who was sent for trial several weeks ago by the city police magistrate on a charge of stealing $400 from a woman named May Davis, appeared before the Speedy Trials Court this morning and elected to be tried by a jury at the spring assizes.

Grand Lodge Meeting.

The Grand Lodge of the A. O. U. W. will meet in their hall on Tuesday, 12th inst., at 10 a.m. Many delegates from the Mainland lodges will be present and a banquet will be tendered them at the Victoria Hotel in the evening

Three Candidates.

The pharmaceutical examinations are being held in Vancouver to-day and it is expected will be over by this evening. There are but three candidates, Mr. Emory of this city, and one each from Vancouver and Westminster.

Thirty Dollars.

Campbell's $30 suits can't last forever, as he has not enough cloth to hold out until every person that wants one is supplied. They are selling fast and giving great satisfaction. Call at No. 88 Government street and investigate.

Lady Macdonald's Photo.

The picture of Lady Macdonald, sent out by her for the schooner Agnes Macdonald, will be formally presented to the schooner and placed in her cabin in a few days. The presentation will take place on the day she sails.

Groceries for Kaslo.

A car load of groceries was taken over the Sound by the City of Seattle last evening. The consignment is for Kaslo and is being shipped in by way of Spokane.

Borne to the Grave.

The funeral of the late John Matthews took place this afternoon from the residence James Bay at 2 o'clock, and at 2:30 from the Reformed Episcopal Church.

Bicycle Meeting.

A meeting of the Island Wanderers' Bicycle club will be held to-morrow evening when business of importance will be discussed.

No Tenders.

There were no tenders sent in for the Bee Hive property and consequently it was not sold.

I.O.O.F.

Acme Lodge, I.O.O.F., will this evening pay a visit to Columbia Lodge.

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STAPLES.

Good variety and values in Sheetings, Cottons, Honeycomb and Marseilles Quilts and Toilet Covers, Towels, all sorts and prices. Good selection of Lancashire, Welsh and Shetland Flannels, etc., etc., etc. Lace Curtains, Art Muslins, Canton Draperies, Cretonnes, plain and reversible. Big selections in these goods.

Prints, French Percales, Galatea Stripes, Oxford Shirtings, Muslins in check, stripe, spots, etc., etc. These are all English and Scotch goods especially selected for this trade.

JACKETS AND MANTLES.

Our buyer has excelled himself this season. A good assortment in Capes, Jackets, Cloaks, Rain and Dust Cloaks, for Misses and Ladies (especial attention has been paid to S.S.W. and E. & O.S.) These goods are of the Very Newest Styles, both in design and material imported by ourselves and selected by OUR OWN BUYER at the factories, consequently they will be right in values.

ROBES AND DRESSES for Babies' and Children's wear. This department is very complete.

DRESS DEPARTMENT.

This department is replete with the newest things in Plain and Fancy Dress Goods, comprising Henriettas, Serges, Stanley Cloths, Tweeds, etc. Some beautiful effects in Costumes (no two alike), and Challies, etc. A big range of Plain and Fancy Black and Grey Dress Goods, suitable for mourning.

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Important Business Transacted at Recent General Meeting in London.

Provisions of the Supplemental Charter Adopted—Modernizing the Company.

A general court of the Hudson's Bay Company was held on Wednesday March 9 at the City Terminus Hotel, the Earl of Litchfield (deputy governor) in the chair. There was a good attendance of proprietors

The secretary (Mr. W. Armit) having read the notice convening the meeting.

The chairman said: Gentlemen, I must first of all apologise to you for the absence of the governor upon this occasion. He is at present in Canada, where he is engaged in looking after your interests. I would also call your attention to the pamphlets distributed throughout the room relating to Manitoba. These little pamphlets have been issued by the Manitoba Government, and I am sure you will see that if any of you can contrive to dispose of a few of them in suitable directions the interests of this Company cannot fail to be benefitted thereby. The report and draft charter, which have been in your hands for some time, you will, I presume, be willing to take as read. (Hear, hear.) I will proceed then to lay before you the various provisions which are embodied in the draft supplemental charter and which you have all I hope received, together with a short report on it from the Board. After passing over the recital part, which occupies several pages, you will find the first new provision, that of the duplication of the shares, is dealt with in paragraphs 2 and 3. Before dealing with those paragraphs I wish to recall to your notice the circumstances which have led up to and originated the proposed duplication as now laid before you. In the spring of 1890 a circular was sent out to the shareholders by Mr. McLean, in which he recommended them to send in their shares to a Trust Company and to receive in exchange a preferred and deferred certificate for each share so surrendered. The circular held out that considerable advantages would be secured to those who participated in this scheme, but it did not receive sufficient support and consequently fell to the ground. However, a very considerable amount of shares had been bought by a syndicate in anticipation of this conversion, and no doubt it would have been revived at no distant date had not the board, thinking it would be better for the company that the proprietors should have an opportunity of making the division themselves, rather than by an outside Trust Company, resolved to lay the matter before the shareholders, which was done in their July report in that year. The report which was dated July 15th, 1890, read as follows: "In conclusion, with reference to the question of converting the shares, the governor and committee have to state that, having regard to the best interests of the company, they continue opposed to any scheme which has for its principle the writing up of the capital by placing an imaginary value upon the company's land. But to the principle of duplicating shares, recently sanctioned by a committee of the House of Commons, the board will offer no opposition. If, therefore, without increasing the capital, the shareholders desire that a plan should be prepared for duplicating the shares by the issue of one preferred and one deferred share for each ordinary share in the company, the governor and committee will be prepared to draw up such a scheme and to take the proper steps to obtain the necessary amendments in the charter." At that meeting the matter was very fully discussed, many shareholders taking part in the discussion. In the end Mr. McLean put forward the following resolution: "That the governor and committee be requested to consider the subject of two classes of shares; and, if they approve, to prepare a plan for duplicating the shares by the issue of one preferred and one deferred share for each ordinary share in the company, or for otherwise converting them; and to take the proper steps with the view of obtaining the necessary amendments in the charter, subject to the approval of the shareholders." An amendment, however, proposed by another shareholder, was eventually carried, which reads as follows: "That the board be requested to consider the proposal for duplicating the shares as put forward by Mr. McLean, and to report upon it at the next meeting." Acting on the mandate of the shareholders as expressed in the above resolution, the Board carefully considered the whole question, and their next report, dated December 3, 1890, at the December meeting was as follows: "It will be in the recollection of the shareholders that at the general court of the company, held on the 15th of July last, the following resolution was adopted, namely: 'That the Board be requested to consider the proposition for duplicating the shares as put forward by Mr. McLean, and to report upon it at the next meeting.' The proposition referred to had reference to the adoption by the company of the principle embodied in the report of the select committee of the House of Commons, dated 13th June, 1890, upon the subject of the conversion by certain railway companies of their ordinary stock into preferred and deferred stocks, at the option of the proprietor. In conformity with the resolution already referred to, the board have carefully considered the question, and have now to state that they assent to the proposal to give the proprietors the option of duplicating their shares upon the principle laid down by the select committee of the House of Commons. The board have been advised that a supplemental charter must be applied for, in order to give effect to this proposition; they have accordingly taken steps to ascertain the terms on which such a supplemental charter could be obtained; and they have at the same time availed themselves of this opportunity to include in their application to the crown authorities certain amendments to the present charter. No time has been lost in pressing these matters forward, and the board hope shortly to be in a position to submit the proposed supplemental charter to the shareholders at a general court to be held for that purpose." At that meeting the governor stated what the board proposed with regard to the duplication scheme. These are his words:—"The board assent to the proposal to give to the proprietors the option of duplicating their shares. This would permit of two classes of shares of equal nominal value, that is to say, preferred shares, bearing interest or dividend at 4 per cent. cumulative and deferred shares, the conversion being optional." The meeting unanimously endorsed the action of the board, who had in their report, as you will remember, alluded to the fact that they were also applying for certain other amendments to the existing charter. With these I will deal later on. Paragraphs 2 and 3 of the proposed charter carry out exactly the words used by the governor at the December meeting in 1890. The important points to bear in mind with reference to this operation are—1st, That it will be entirely optional; no shareholder need duplicate unless he wishes to do so. 2nd, That it will not increase in any way the capital of the company, which, as explained in sub-section (f) of paragraph 3, will remain at £1,300,000. Sub-sections a, b, c, d, and e of paragraph 3 are merely necessary for the proper working out of the new scheme of duplication. We now come to paragraph 4, with its sub-sections dealing with the question of dividends. In this paragraph it is stated that no larger dividend may be declared than that recommended by the board. This is a provision common with many companies, and is a safeguard against a motion being sprung on a general meeting by any shareholder who may wish to obtain a larger dividend than the one recommended by the board. It will be obvious to you all, I think, how dangerous such a resolution might be to the company if carried, without any special knowledge of the company's financial requirements, such as alone the board can possess, and I therefore have no hesitation in advising you to accept it. You will observe, of course, that the power of declaring any dividend, whether the same or smaller than that recommended by the board, is still vested in the shareholders in general meeting. Sub-sections a, b, and c deal with the division of the dividend as between the different classes of shares, and provide (1) That each preferred and deferred share shall together be credited with the same dividend as that paid to the ordinary undivided share; (2) That as between the preferred and deferred share, the former shall be entitled to a cumulative 4 per cent. dividend, and that as regards the remainder of dividend, if any, it shall go first towards a payment up to 8 per cent. on the deferred share, and after that in equal portions between the preferred and

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deferred share. Sub-section d enables the board to declare an interim dividend, if in their opinion the position of the company justifies it. This will be a very useful provision, as up to the present they have had no power to do so; and it is quite probable that before long the company may be in such a position that the board will feel justified in making use of the power conferred on them, and in declaring an interim dividend after the results of some of the fur sales are known in the early spring. (Hear, hear.) The provisions contained in paragraph 5, with its sub-sections a and b, to which we now come, are very important. They authorise the application of the proceeds of land sales to profit and loss, subject to certain conditions and safeguards which are as follows: (a) That the directors must be satisfied before applying the proceeds in this way that the capital of the company as represented by the assets is intact; (b) That when the lands of the Company are reduced to 1,500,000 acres the proceeds of land sales can no longer be applied to profit and loss. The latter of these two conditions is not likely to come into force for very many years to come, and the former is a perfectly reasonable stipulation. The great importance of the powers given to the Company in paragraph 5 will be obvious to all of you, for you must bear in mind that up to the present the application of the proceeds of land sales to dividend has only been made on the advice of eminent counsel, who advised that it was quite competent for the Company to deal with the proceeds in that way. Paragraph 6 deals with the appointment of the assets of the Company in the event of winding up. Briefly, the rights of the ordinary shares are not altered, but as regards the divided shares, the preferred are entitled to first receive £18 for each share, and the surplus, if any, is to go to the deferred shares. Next as to the provisions for voting in paragraph 5. The present voting power of the ordinary shares is not altered, and it is provided that the holder of preferred and deferred shares shall have the same voting power as if he had not converted; thus the holder of 20 ordinary shares will be entitled to 4 votes, and under this paragraph the holder of 20 preferred and 20 deferred shares will also be entitled to four votes, in the proportion of three votes for 20 preferred shares and one vote for the 20 deferred shares. A provision has also been inserted in the interest of the individual shareholders to limit the voting power of any one block of shares held in the same name to 400 votes. I feel convinced you will approve this provision in your own interests, as it will prevent any undue control being obtained over the affairs of the company by any syndicate or trust company who might buy up a large quantity of the shares of the company. The latter part of the paragraph states that shareholders who convert their shares shall not be at any disadvantage as to voting; but that if they still hold the converted shares, they shall be entitled to vote on them, even though they shall have been converted within six months; always stipulating, however, that the ordinary shares so converted had been held long enough to entitle the owner to vote. Paragraph 8 is taken from the present by-laws and incorporated in this charter. It refers to the register of members; and the way it shall be kept. Under proposed by-law No. 2 shortly to be submitted to you, it is proposed to give every shareholder the right of inspecting it, and obtaining copies of it. Paragraph 9 provides that joint holders shall register all their shares in the same order of names. This will tend to prevent the provision about the maximum vote in paragraph 7 being eluded by syndicates or trust companies. The next question in the charter is contained in paragraph 10, and confers on the company in general court the power to issue debentures, or debenture bonds or stock to an amount not exceeding £250,000. This is a power that nearly all companies take to themselves in their articles of association and the board thought it very desirable that this company should obtain this power; the two important points to bear in mind with regard to this provision, are: 1st, that it is the shareholders in general court, and not the directors, that have the power to issue such stock; 2nd, that the board have no intention of asking the shareholders for any such issue, but have applied for these powers solely in the possible future interests of the company. In paragraph 11 the qualification of the board is not altered, except to extend it to the holders of preferred and deferred shares, and in paragraph 12 power is taken to reduce the number of directors from nine to seven if at any time such a course should be considered desirable. Under present powers, the board must always consist of the mixed number of nine directors. This provision, now applied for, is a usual one in the articles of association of companies under the Limited Liability Act, and the board thought it desirable that this company should possess it. Under the old charters the election of directors had to take place at a general court, to be held in the months of November or December in each year; and as there were no accounts to be presented at that time, the winter meeting has simply been held for the purpose of electing directors. This was all very well in former times, when that was the only business to be transacted, as in old days no accounts were presented to the shareholders. Now, however, the board are anxious to bring the working of the company more in harmony with the customs which prevail in other companies, and hence power has been obtained to hold the general court for the election of directors in any month of the year most convenient, and this provision will now enable the election of directors to take place at the same meeting at which the accounts of the company are presented, which is manifestly the proper time for that election, and in accord with modern usage. We feel confident you will approve of this pro- [illegible]n. I have now dealt with all the [illegible]ions in the proposed charter, and [illegible] ask you to [illegible] me while I [illegible]tions [illegible]l by [illegible]ce. [illegible]o [illegible]s-

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posed supplemental charter; (2) The introduction of a new bye-law giving shareholders the power of inspecting the register of members. We have purposely not made any attempt to alter or amend any of the bye-laws, because we are convinced the company can work very well with them as they are at presented constituted, and also because we are anxious that the business at this meeting should be confined as nearly as possible to the consideration of the proposed charter, and to the alterations necessitated in the bye-laws if the charter is agreed to. Going through them seriatim, the first is altered to make it read in conformity with the present circumstances. The second is incorporated in the new charter and therefore unnecessary. In lieu thereof we have substituted a new by-law relating to the inspection of the register of members, and bringing the practice of members of this company into conformity with that of other companies working under the Limited Liability Acts. Then the old by-laws (Nos. 12 and 22) are to be revoked, and a new one adopted which incorporates to some extent the provisions of the two to be revoked, and will enable the election of directors and the annual statement of accounts to be dealt with at the same meeting. And, finally, it is proposed to revoke by-laws 4, 11, 27 and 30. The matters contained in these by-laws are all incorporated in the proposed charter, either in the same form or with some alterations, and therefore these by-laws will be either unnecessary or inconsistent with the new charter, and can therefore be dropped. I now move: "1. That the governor and committee be and are hereby authorized to accept a supplemental charter in the form now submitted to the general court of the company with such modifications (if any) as may be imposed by the crown and sanctioned by the governor and committee."

Mr. J. R. Grant seconded the motion.

Mr. Sumner moved the following amendment, which after some discussion was voted down, only three favoring it:—"That having regard to the fundamental alteration in the constitution of the company proposed by the Governor and Committee in the tenth clause or article of the proposed form of Supplemental Charter, and to the fact that the directors admit in the first paragraph of their special report in reference to the said proposed Supplemental Charter, that the only instructions they have received from the shareholders is in reference to ascertaining the terms on which the Crown authorities would grant the proprietors the option to duplicate their shares, and also having regard to the fact that the shareholders have never had the opportunity afforded them by directors of considering and discussing the aforesaid proposed fundamental alteration in the constitution of the company nor the purposes and objects for and with which the same have now for the first time been put forward by the chairman and directors, it is resolved by this meeting of shareholders as follows: (1) That the governor and committee be, and are hereby authorised to accept a supplemental charter according to, and within the limits of the instructions of the shareholders as mentioned in the first part of the first paragraph of the special report of the directors in reference to the proposed supplemental charter, and not further or otherwise. (2) That if necessary such alterations be made in the proposed form of the supplemental charter, now for the first time submitted to the shareholders in the company as will make the same accord with and conformable to the aforesaid instructions of the shareholders referred to in the aforesaid substituted resolution No. 1. (3) That this meeting of shareholders declares that it is inexpedient, and would be ruinous to the interests of the shareholders to make any such proposed fundamental alteration in the constitution of the company such as that contemplated by the tenth clause or article of the proposed supplemental charter."

The first resolution was then adopted, and the chairman moved the second, as follows:

"That from and immediately after the date of the grant of the Supplemental Charter the by-laws of the company, numbered 1, 2, 4, 11, 12, 22, 27, and 30, be revoked, and cease to have effect. That from and after the date of the grant of the said Supplemental Charter the new by-laws (copies of which are hereto subjoined), with or without such modifications (if any) as the court may think fit, be added to and form part of the by-laws of the company.

"Words and expressions used in the charter have the same meaning in the following by-laws, unless there is something in the subject or context inconsistent therewith.

"The register of members, provided by the last Supplemental Charter, shall be open to the inspection of any member during business hours, but subject to such reasonable restrictions as the board may impose, so that not less than two hours in each day be appointed for inspection; and any member may require a copy of such register, or any part thereof, on payment previously of sixpence for every hundred words required to be copied.

"The accounts of the company shall be made up, stated and balanced, and audited to the first of May, or such other date each year as may be found convenient, and printed copies of the statement of accounts and balance sheet shall be sent to the members at least seven days previous to the general court, at which the statement of accounts and balance-sheet are submitted."

Mr. Skinner seconded the motion, which was agreed to unanimously.

The chairman—There is just one point I cannot pass over, because the shareholders might believe what was not true. Mr. McLean said that in the absence of any statement from the board, he should conclude that the board would convert their shares. With regard to this conversion the position of the board is this; that it is essentially optional and a matter for the shareholders to decide. If you come to us for advice we should not give it you. You must go to your brokers or bankers. Individually we may convert but collectively we give no advice whatever on the subject.

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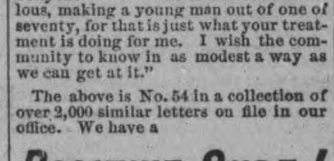

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R. F. TOLMIE,
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MUNICIPAL.

Dog Tax for Year 1892

THE OWNERS OF ALL DOGS within the limits of the city of Victoria are requested to call at my office and pay the Tax on same.

Dogs for which the Tax has not been paid, on and after this date will be impounded according to the provisions of the Pound By-Law.

CHARLES KENT,
Collector.
City Treasurer and Collector's office,
City Hall, Victoria, B.C., March 8th, 1892.

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In view of the low rate of interest given by the Dominion Savings Bank Department, and the restrictions imposed as to the amount to be deposited, this Company is now prepared to receive money on deposit, in large or small amounts, at interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, and on favorable terms as to notice, etc.

The offices of the Company have been removed to 40 Government street, the premises lately occupied by the Telegraph Company.

Dec. 30.

P. & M. REAL ESTATE LIST.

FOR SALE.

$1300—Six-roomed house, Superior street, James Bay.
$2200—Seven-roomed house, Labouchere avenue.
$1600—Five-roomed house, Vancouver street.
$1050—Four-roomed cottage near Oak Bay avenue.
$475—One large lot, Frances avenue.
$850—One lot on St. Charles street.
$350—One lot on Oak Bay avenue, on easy terms.
$300—One lot on Tennyson road (41x203 ft.)
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We have some choice acreage situate close to town, suitable for residential property and gardening purposes, ranging from $200 to $300 an acre, on easy terms.

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In all parts of the city, from $12 to $18 a month.

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NOTARIES PUBLIC. CONVEYANCERS.

GORGE ROAD SUNDAY SCHOOL.

The Annual Reports of the Officers as Read at the Annual Meeting.

Officers Elected and Other Business Transacted on Monday Evening.

At the annual meeting of the Gorge Road Methodist Sunday School, held on Monday evening, the report for the past year was read.

Total membership during the year including teachers and officers, 284, consisting of 71 boys, 94 girls; 23 in the Bible class; 68 in the infant class; and 28 teachers and officers. Total number of new pupils added during the year 62.

From the total membership of 284, one has been removed by death and 24 others by removals.

The average attendance for the past three months has been 194⅝; the largest attendance on any one Sunday, 229; number of verses recited by the boys during the past three months, 1657; by the girls, 2331.

During the year the interest of the boys has been enlisted in the formation of a fife and drum band and the superintendent has been very fortunate in securing the services of Mr. Hollins as leader.

The Band of Hope that was organized a little over one year ago continue to grow and prosper under the management of Miss Kermode, the present membership being 135.

The introduction of the Methodist catechism is still looked upon as being a wise arrangement; there are now in circulation about 130 including parts one and two.

The most satisfactory circumstance connected with our reports of this year's works is the fact that during the year 30 of the members of the school have been added to the church.

The librarian reports the total number of volumes in the library as 257, of which 130 are in circulation among the children, and the average number lent weekly as 60.

During the year some additions have been made to the library; among the number three volumes History of Methodism, and Wesley the founder of Methodism.

In October of 1891, 40 volumes were given by us to the Victoria West Methodist Sunday school.

We also receive regularly from the Methodist book rooms of Toronto 25 Banners, 125 Bureau Leaves, 50 Pleasant Hours, 75 Sunbeams. In addition to the above the following report of our treasurer further shows the prosperity of our school from a financial standpoint, giving, as will be seen, a surplus of $101.46.

RECEIPTS.

Balance in the treasury April 19, 1891	$ 61 37
Amount received from collections each Sunday	100.35
Missionary Sunday	14.15
Receipts from excursions to Pedder Bay	311.00
Contribution to new church and building fund	219.62
Receipts from anniversary Sunday services	33.75
	740.24

EXPENDITURES.

Book room account for periodicals, etc.	93.61
Excursion expenses	278.20
Paid to Missions	14.15
Paid in to church building fund	252.82
Balance in treasury	101.46
	740.24

The total amount of money raised for all purposes during the year by the school will be seen by the treasurer's report to be $678 89.

The foregoing report having been handed in, the different officers and teachers of the school convened together for the purpose of re-electing new officers and teachers to serve during 1892. Before entering upon nomination the pastor, Rev. Mr. White, spoke about the flourishing condition of the school, and attributed it very largely to the energetic efforts of the retiring superintendent, and expressed himself as being unable to see his way to make any change, and trusted that Bro. Shakespeare would consent to allow himself to be re-nominated for one more year, supplementing what he had said by presenting the following request signed by all the teachers and officers of the school and quarterly board representatives:

DEAR BRO. SHAKESPEARE,—At this, the closing meeting of the year's work, we, as a band of fellow workers, wish to express to you our appreciation of your services as superintendent. We feel perfectly safe in testifying to the fact that throughout the school year of '91 and '92 your services have added very considerably to bring about the present prosperity of the school. We realize also that on all occasions you have been prompt to act for its best interests and continually inspiring us by precept and example to more earnest effort in the great work of teaching the children the plan of salvation.

We remember also that some weeks ago you expressed your determination not to stand for re-election. As teachers and officers of the school, we ask you to re-consider this matter and allow yourself to be re-nominated for one more term. You will doubtless remember the conditions we imposed upon ourselves when last year we expressed a wish for you to consent to continue an officer; so, to-night, we pledge ourselves to faithfully attend to the duties as officers and teachers in the school, and give to you all the assistance we can in trying to make the incoming year more prosperous than any other.

After what had been said by his pastor, Rev. Mr. White, and the expression embodied in the foregoing request, Bro. Shakespeare consented and was duly elected to serve for another year.

The following officers were then nominated and elected: Bro. Sherk, assistant superintendent; Bro. William Shakespeare, secretary; Bro. Thomas, treasurer; Bro. McConnell, choirester; Brothers Frank Kermode and William Kettle, librarians; Bro. Hollins, bandmaster, and all teachers re-elected and several new ones added.

If you are going to buy a watch call on the Canadian Co-Operative Supply Company.

A well selected stock of clothing and gents furnishings, also lease of first class premises, could be bought at easy terms. Apply P. O. box 519, city.

BIRTH.

DIER—In this city on the 5th inst., the wife of W. A. Dier, of a son, still-born.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

RICHARDS & CUTHBERT,

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Unreserved Auction Sale

—OF—

DESIREABLE FURNITURE

By order of a gentleman giving up housekeeping,

SATURDAY, APRIL 9th

AT 11 A.M.

comprising parlor set of 7 pieces in walnut and plush, bed and other lounges in plush, walnut easy chairs, walnut rockers, occasional tables, walnut bookcase, walnut sideboard, chandeliers, curtain, poles and rings, Brussels, tapestry and Wilton carpets, bed and table linen, blankets, comforts, spreads, mirrors, organettes, walnut bedroom set, hardwood bedroom set, bureaus, washstands, bedsteads, toilet ware, Heap's patent dry earth closet, walnut extension table, cane seated chairs, kitchen tables and chairs, garden tools, hose, piping, etc.

Also two Fine Oil Paintings

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The Temptation of St. Anthony, and The Candidate for the Musical Club.

On view Friday, from 2 to 4.

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Plans and all particulars can be seen at my office, 40 Yates street, or at the office of C. T. W. Piper, 43 Fort street.

Sale will be held at

12 NOON AND 7:30 P.M.

SATURDAY, MAY 7, 1892.

W. R. CLARKE,
ap6 Auctioneer.

A. O. U. W.

Take notice that a special meeting of Victoria Lodge, No. 19 will be held in Sons of St. George hall on Friday, the 8th inst, at 7:30 p.m. for the election of delegates to the Grand Lodge, and other important matters, and all brethern are hereby requested to attend.

J. BECKER,
Master Workman.

T. Y. Jenich, Recorder.
(Colonist copy.)

PARTNERSHIP NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I, Jno. T. Pierre have this day taken my father, T. W. Pierre, as partner into the business lately carried on by me as the Victoria Tailoring and Dyeing Establishment, at 100 Douglas street, and the said business will in future be carried on by us under the firm name of Jno. T. Pierre & Co.

All liabilities will be paid by the said Jno. T. Pierre, who will collect all bills.

Signed { Jno. T. Pierre. / T. W. Pierre.

Victoria, B. C., April 5th, 1892.
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JOSHUA DAVIES,
Auctioneer.

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WATER COLORS.

One by C. Becker, 1880, Iago's Address Before Othello and Desdemona. One by Becker, 1880, subject, Romeo, Juliet and the Friar. One Nature's Mirror.

BOOKS.

A selected library, Dickens, Irving, Scott, etc.

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Royal Adelaide, Dresden, Worcester and Bohemian ware, Fancy Chairs, Whatnots.

Five o'clock Tea Cups and Saucers (choice). Mattresses, Blankets Sheets, Quilts, Pillows, Slips, Oilcloth, Stair Carpets, Rods.

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Catalogues ready Saturday afternoon.

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TENDERS.

TENDERS FOR THE ERECTION OF A brick or stone Presbyterian Church in Nanaimo, B. C., will be received by Mr. Alexander Shaw, secretary of building committee, up to 6 o'clock p.m., 25th inst. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Plans and specifications will be open for inspection at Mr. Thomas McConnan's bookstore, Fort street, Victoria, from the 15th to the 25th inst.
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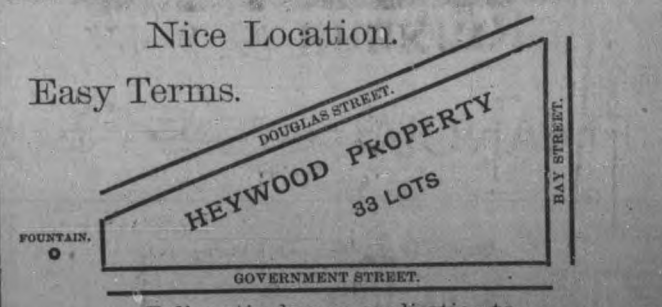

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